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## INTENSE COLD WEATHER

STOPPED WORK ON WORLD'S FAIR BUILDINGS.

Coldest Weather in Thirty Years. Blizzard's Breath Shoots the Mercury Away Below Zero—Several Deaths From Freezing.

Kansas City, Jan. 25.—Intense cold weather prevails today in the Mississippi valley, the temperature in Wisconsin being the lowest in thirty years. Still colder weather is predicted for tonight.

Missouri—Northwestern portion of the state averages 10 below zero; Kansas City 5 below, Springfield 30 above, St. Joseph 10 above, St. Louis 4 above. Much work on World's Fair buildings stopped.

Kansas—Topeka 5 below, Concordia 8 below, Dodge City zero, Wichita 4 above, Abilene 8 below, Salina 8 below, Ellis 8 below, Lawrence 3 below, Hutchinson 3 below. Snow flurries in Kansas and Missouri.

Illinois—Central portion 5 below; street car traffic stopped; Chicago 15 below; one man frozen to death; traffic hampered.

Nebraska—Fifteen below at Lincoln, 8 below in the western part of the state.

Iowa—Western portion of the state 17 below; blighting north wind.

Minnesota—St. Paul 30 below, Duluth 22 below.

Wisconsin—La Crosse 27 below, Racine 26 below. Much suffering.

North Dakota—Bismarck and Williston 38 below.

Northwestern territory, Minnesota, 38 below.

Manitoba, Winnipeg, 40 below, severe blizzard, several deaths reported.

### The Gainesville Assault Case.

The assault case of a few mornings ago still remains mysterious in some respects, and the people are wondering what, if anything, will come out of it. That the woman was assaulted is evident. She says positively that she twice identified the negro who assaulted her and knows that he is the one. The officers on the other hand say that after questioning the negro and examining his clothing they decided that he could not have possibly been the man. The case seems to have narrowed itself down to a matter of veracity between an unfortunate white woman and a negro at the oil mill. The people of Gainesville can draw their own conclusions.—Gainesville Messenger.

It makes a woman very indignant with a man to tell her a queer story that isn't.

### Kept His Promise.

A man charged with murder once bribed an Irishman on the jury for \$100 to hang out for a verdict for manslaughter. The jury was out a long time and finally returned with a verdict for manslaughter. The prisoner went to the Irishman, thanked him and asked if he had a hard time of it.

"Yes," said the Irishman, "a h—l of a time. The balance all wanted to acquit you."

Mrs. Maybrick. American women—and men, too—by the tens of thousands, will find pleasure in the report that Mrs. Florence Maybrick may soon be released from the English prison whose doors shut behind her years ago. It would be hard indeed to find a convicted person, and one, too, convicted for such a crime as the murder of a husband, for whom such general sympathy has arisen and whose fate has excited such widespread sentimental interest. A petition signed by 500,000 persons resulted in the commutation of Mrs. Maybrick's sentence from death to life imprisonment, an end then efforts on a great scale have been intermittently made to secure her complete pardon. The center of all the efforts has been among American women, who have never for a moment believed that Mrs. Maybrick was guilty of the crime charged against her. Mrs. Maybrick is now 40 years old and her native place is Mobile, Ala. When 17 years old she met and married James Maybrick, a man of previous fast life, and still addicted to stimulants and drugs. He was known to be an arsenic fiend. In 1889, after an exposure on a race track, he became sick and died. Mrs. Maybrick was arrested. Doctors testified that her husband's death was not due to arsenic poisoning and there was evidence to show that Mrs. Maybrick had bought arsenic, though there was much to show that Mr. Maybrick personally used it. Yet she was convicted.

### LETTER LIST.

List of unclaimed letters at the Ardmore postoffice Jan. 25, 1904.

#### LADIES.

Allen, Florence; Abbith, Elizabeth; Beckmen, Virginia; Bingham, Ellen; Blakemore, Angeline; Carson, Larcenia; Cox, Martha; Cook, J. W.; Davis, Mitt; Garden, M. L.; Gilliam, Lizzie; Hendon, Myrtle; Hiatt, Dora; Jones, Maggie; Kitcherson, Mary; Moore, Cris; Maes, Tennie; Pargardon, Ababune; Pennington, Claude; Powers, Lottie; Percival, Lula; Ross, Lula, 2; Thompson, George; Tully, Maud; Williams, Abbie; Westmoreland, Mrs.; Wood, Mollie; Zuber, C. E.

#### GENTLEMEN.

Allen, James; Baneer, J. H.; Barner, G. A.; Bennett, Bud; Billings, John; Bordeaux, J. A.; Bowman, Milton; Byrd, C. C.; Cardwell, G. Y.; Case, Albert; Clark, Orus; Cook, Shieve; Colbert, Henry; Crouch, David N.; Darr, Joe; Dewberry, C. J.; Dexter, Harry; Garman Delb; Gear, Sam; Glin, Charlie; Glover, R. E.; Gooding, B. L.; Hays, M. L.; Hart, Bob; Hert, Jeff; Hurd, Tom; Korkie, R. A.; Lewis, R. A.; Lattin, R. G.; Perkins, F. R.; Roas, H. D.; Roberts, F. C.; Smith, John; Smith, R. L.; Shaw, S.; Tucker, Will; Tucker, Will; Williams, H. B.; West, James; Wiggins, A. T.; Yates, E. M. Persons calling for the above letters will please say "advertised."

DAVID REDFIELD, P. M.

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### BANKRUPTCY NOTICE.

In the United States Court for the Southern District of the Indian Territory.

In the matter of Hicks & Scott, bankrupts. In Bankruptcy, No. 5441. To the Honorable Hosea Townsend, Judge of the District court of the United States for the Southern district of the Indian Territory:

Hicks & Scott of Durwood, in the Southern district of the Indian Territory, in said district, respectfully represent that on the 3rd day of January, 1903, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 25th day of January, A. D. 1904.

HICKS & SCOTT, Bankrupts.

Southern District of the Indian Territory, ss:

On this 25th day of January, A. D. 1904, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 5th day of February, A. D. 1904, before said court, at Ardmore, in said district, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in The Ardmoreite, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Hosea Townsend, judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Ardmore, in said district, on the 25th day of January, 1904.

C. M. CAMPBELL, Clerk. (Seal of the Court. First published Jan. 26, 1904.

### Pleasant and Most Effective.

T. J. Chambers, Ed. Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes Dec. 25, 1902: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasantest remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by W. B. Frame.

### BANKRUPTCY NOTICE.

In the United States Court for the Southern District of the Indian Territory.

In the matter of D. W. Berry, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, No. 5470. To the Honorable Hosea Townsend, Judge of the District court of the United States for the Southern district of the Indian Territory:

D. W. Berry of McMillan, in the Southern district of the Indian Territory, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 6th day of February last past he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has

fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

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### For Sale.

Two fine Jacks, "Star Light Chief" and "Hancock," age respectively 6 and 7. Sired in Tennessee. Made two seasons in Territory. Show fine record. For particulars address G. P. Dickinson, Davis, I. T. 17-1m.

### Reliable Horses being.

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At Rice has been the active manager of this business for the past two years and is now increasing his facilities and is prepared to furnish a higher class of work than ever. Baldwin's old stand. Old customers at ways welcome and new ones solicited. 17-1m.

There is nothing that disgusts a man more than the lack of system of a street railway company whose car is thirty seconds behind the time when he is in a hurry to get to business because he came to break fast half an hour late.

### What's in a Name.

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